

SENATE BILL 1788

By Tate

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68,
Chapter 115, relative to the Tennessee Athletic
Commission Act of 2008.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-115-102, is amended by deleting subdivision (1) it in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(1) "Amateur" means a person who has never competed in an unarmed combat sport competition or contest for any purse or item of value, other than for a prize or item of value that does not exceed fifty dollars (\$50.00), except those involved in Olympic organizations recognized by the Tennessee athletic commission as a sanctioning organization. Section 68-115-208 shall apply to any Olympic organizations that are recognized as a sanctioning organization by the Tennessee athletic commission.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.